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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES
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PASS TREASURY, EXIMBANK, COMMERCE

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EFIN, ECRP, AR
SUBJECT: 1976 BALANCE OF PAYMENTS FOR ARGENTINA

REF: (A) BUENOS AIRES 6084, (B) CERP 0102

1. MINISTRY OF ECONOMY HAS FURNISHED EMBASSY WITH FOLLOWING
1976 BALANCE OF PAYMENTS DATA IN MILLIONS US\$ BY QUARTER.
FOURTH QUARTER AND YEAR TOTAL FIGURES ARE ESTIAMTES.

| QUARTERS: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | YEAR |
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| | ESTIMATED | ESTIMATED | ESTIMATED | ESTIMATED | ESTIMATED |

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| MERCHANDIS | | | | | |
| BALANCE | 68 | 348 | 239 | 145 | 800 |

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| SERVICES | -37 | -106 | -40 | -93 | -276 |
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| UNILATERAL | | | | | |
| TRANSFERS | 3 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 16 |

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| ACCOUNT | 34 | 249 | 202 | 45 | 540 |
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| NON-COMPENSATORY | | | | | |
| CAPITAL MOVEMENTS | -115 | 18 | -189 | -300 | -586 |

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| ERRORS | 4 | -11 | -2 | 0 | -9 |
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INTERNATIONAL

PAYMENTS -78 255 -11 -245 -55

RESERVE VARIATION -64 -480 -131 -55 -730

COMPENSATORY CAPITAL

MOVEMENTS -42 225 120 300 785

2. COMMENT: SINCE GROSS RESERVEAS AT YEAR-END 1975 STOOD
AT \$845 MILLION, THE PROJECTED \$730 MILLION INCREASE IN
RESERVES WOULD BRING THE YEAR-END 1976 TOTAL TO \$1575
MILLION.

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